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Description Notes

AGENT ORANGE CLAIMS

	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
A. Total Number of Claims	17068	100.0%
Claims with Diagnosis Confirmed	8451	49.5%
Claims with Diagnosis not Confirmed	4515	26.5%
Claims with No Disability Alleged	4102	24.0%
B. Claims with Diagnosis Confirmed	8451	100.0%
Allowed for Reason Other than Agent Orange	1328*	15.7%
Denied	7123 ^a	84.3%
a. These 7123 claims having more than one claimed diagnosis fall into the following categories:		
Skin condition (acne, alopecia, eczema, keloids and urticaria)	4394	
Nervousness, headaches and fatigue (claimed)	2458	
Paralysis or numbness and other symptoms of extremities	912	
GI and GU conditions	801	
Malignancies (leukemia, lymphoma, melanoma, Hodgkin's, etc.)	514	
Impaired sexual activity (alleged)	360	
EENT pathology	466	
Lung condition	293	
Cardiovascular and hypertension	252	
Misc.	146	

* Approximately 95 or 1253 of the total 1328 claims allowed are service connected for skin condition. Balance of 5% or 68 claims were allowed for cancer, psychiatric and neurological conditions and various other miscellaneous disabilities.